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Serial No.: 10/708,658

### REMARKS

Applicants respectfully request that the above application be reconsidered in view of the following remarks.

The Office communication mailed June 10, 2005 notified applicant of the failure to make payment of adequate fees, and the non-entry of the amended claims submitted in Applicant's response on May 2, 2005.

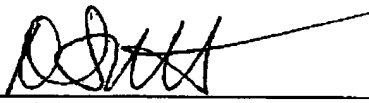
Applicant thus submits herein a new listing of amended and new claims. The new listing is the same as the May 2, 2005 listing, except that all "withdrawn" claims are now "canceled". Support for any amendments and new claims can be found in the Response submitted May 2, 2005.

The present listing of claims includes 44 total claims and 5 independent claims. Applicant has previously paid for 43 total claims and 9 independent claims. Consequently, Applicant submits herewith a fee of \$25.00.

Applicant respectfully requests entry of the amendments herein, and a prompt allowance of all claims.

Respectfully submitted,

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<b>PATENT APPLICATION FEE DETERMINATION RECORD</b>					Application or Docket Number <b>10/708,658</b>						
<b>APPLICATION AS FILED - PART I</b>					<b>SMALL ENTITY</b>		<b>OR</b>		<b>OTHER THAN SMALL ENTITY</b>		
(Column 1)		(Column 2)			RATE (\$)		FEE (\$)				
FOR	NUMBER FILED	NUMBER EXTRA			RATE (\$)	FEE (\$)			RATE (\$)	FEE (\$)	
BASIC FEE (37 CFR 1.18(a), (b), or (c))	N/A	N/A			N/A	385			N/A		
SEARCH FEE (37 CFR 1.18(k), (l), or (m))	N/A	N/A			N/A				N/A		
EXAMINATION FEE (37 CFR 1.18(o), (p), or (q))	N/A	N/A			N/A				N/A		
TOTAL CLAIMS (37 CFR 1.16(i))	43	minus 20 = 23			x 9 =	207	OR		x =		
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS (37 CFR 1.16(h))	9	minus 3 = 6			x 43 =	258			x =		
APPLICATION SIZE FEE (37 CFR 1.16(s))	If the specification and drawings exceed 100 sheets of paper, the application size fee due is \$250 (\$125 for small entity) for each additional 50 sheets or fraction thereof. See 35 U.S.C. 41(a)(1)(G) and 37 CFR 1.16(s).										
MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM PRESENT (37 CFR 1.16(j))						N/A			N/A		
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<b>APPLICATION AS AMENDED - PART II</b>					<b>SMALL ENTITY</b>		<b>OR</b>		<b>OTHER THAN SMALL ENTITY</b>		
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<b>AMENDMENT A</b>	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	MINUS	HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA	RATE (\$)	ADDITIONAL FEE (\$)			RATE (\$)	ADDITIONAL FEE (\$)	
	Total (37 CFR 1.18(j))	44	Minus	43	=	1	OR		x =		
	Independent (37 CFR 1.18(h))	5	Minus	9	=	0	OR		x =		
	Application Size Fee (37 CFR 1.16(s))										
	FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM (37 CFR 1.18(j))					N/A			N/A		
					TOTAL ADD'L FEE	25.00	OR		TOTAL ADD'L FEE		
<b>AMENDMENT B</b>	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	MINUS	HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA	RATE (\$)	ADDITIONAL FEE (\$)			RATE (\$)	ADDITIONAL FEE (\$)	
	Total (37 CFR 1.18(j))	0	Minus	0	=	0	OR		x =		
	Independent (37 CFR 1.18(h))	0	Minus	0	=	0	OR		x =		
	Application Size Fee (37 CFR 1.16(s))										
	FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM (37 CFR 1.18(j))					N/A			N/A		
					TOTAL ADD'L FEE		OR		TOTAL ADD'L FEE		

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